

FIGHT OVER ONE DELEGATE.

G. E. Moody of Waterbury Elected Over H. J. M. Jones of Montpelier—Theodore N. Vail Heads Delegation.

The Republican state convention in Montpelier Friday, which elected eight delegates and eight alternates who were to vote for Hughes for governor in the Chicago convention, reminded old timers of conventions that bloomed when knighted harmony was in flower. So well was the slate arranged that when the convention met the 518 delegates present discovered they had been called together to decide whether "Gene" Moody of Waterbury or Hugh J. M. Jones of Montpelier should go to Chicago, listen to the speeches of Chairman Frank E. Howe and Senator Sherman of Illinois and the oratory of budding politicians making the nomination and endorsing speeches, endorse Charles E. Hughes, adopt a platform that "viewed with alarm" sufficiently to satisfy the most exacting, and pass a few resolutions of thanks.

The business of the convention could easily have been transacted in an hour and a half but courtesy required that they should remain and hear Senator Lawrence V. Sherman of Illinois, who was whisked by automobile across the state from Rutland to Montpelier, reaching the convention hall at 3 o'clock.

Senator Carroll S. Page was on the stage to greet his colleague when he stepped across the footlights and the opening economies which the senator from Illinois showered upon Senator Page and other members of the Vermont congressional delegation indicated that the confidence of the citizen from Hyde Park had not been misplaced.

Perhaps the most stirring event of the entire convention was the reception given the Hughes resolution introduced by Charles C. Fitts of Brattleboro. Mr. Fitts was forced to stop in the middle of the resolution while the din of cheers, hand clapping and mechanical rattles filled the hall for over a minute. The resolution was adopted with a whoop that gave not a shadow of doubt as to how the convention stood on the question. This resolution follows:

"The Republican state convention of Vermont endorses and affirms the spoken word of the Republican voters of the state in favor of Charles E. Hughes for the presidential nomination.

"We believe that his unblemished record, his wide experience, his forceful character and his great intellect combine to make him the master hand to navigate the ship of state across the uncharted shoals which are ahead.

"We urge that the delegates elected by this convention, by their personal efforts and by their votes, support him with the full strength of the state."

The seven unopposed delegates elected were Theodore N. Vail of Lyndon, Edmund E. Morse of Proctor, George Herbert Proctor of Newport, Fred H. Babbitt of Bellows Falls, Colins M. Graves of Bennington, Guy W. Bailey of Essex and John T. Cushing of St. Albans. For eighth delegate there were three candidates, George Eugene Moody of Waterbury, Hugh J. M. Jones of Montpelier and George G. Gridley of Windsor. Although Jones had something like 54 of the delegates from Washington county and Moody 11, Moody through the aid of his political manager Editor Whitehill went on to the floor of the convention and won out.

The alternates elected were: Alex. Dunnett of St. Johnsbury, Millard E. Barnes of Chimney Point, Henry T. Brown of Ludlow, Miles S. Sawyer of Rutland, E. A. Davis of Bethel, Henry B. Shaw of Burlington, F. C. Archibald of Manchester and Smith B. Waite of Hyde Park.

Chairman Frank E. Howe met with a hearty reception at the hands of the convention and put the business through expeditiously.

Warner R. Graham of Bellows Falls graced the chair of secretary and had for his assistant Benjamin Williams of Proctor, who was secretary of civil and military affairs to Gov. Proctor.

Charles H. Darling was chairman of the committee on resolutions. Robert C. Bacon was the member from Windham county and Frederick W. Wilder from Windsor county.

While the "old guard" were much in evidence as well as all the candidates for state office in addition to Ex-Governors Fletcher and Mead and Governor Gates, sprinkled here and there in the convention were men who had been identified with the Progressive cause indicating their willingness to once more be considered within the fold.

NEWLYWEDS HAD BOX SEAT.

Louis D. Fisher and May E. Torrey Married by Justice Hopkins — Attended Honeymoon Lane Friday.

Louis D. Fisher of Meriden, Conn., and Miss May E. Torrey of Brattleboro were married in the town clerk's office Friday morning by Justice Carl S. Hopkins. They occupied a box that night at the performance of Honeymoon Lane, the first Regiment band show, in the Auditorium.

The night before, as a feature of the hand show, Mr. Hopkins, who performs more marriages than all others in town vested with authority to unite couples, in special attire distributed in the Auditorium lobby while people were on their way to the show printed slips bearing the following announcement:

TOWN CLERK—HOPKINS MATRIMONY A SPECIALTY Speedy Work

Between Acts—Special Reduced Rates and Free Box Seats to the Big Matinee to All Out-of-Town Couples.

Next morning Mr. Fisher and Miss Torrey appeared at Mr. Hopkins's office, were married and were given tickets for the night show, the management waiving the provision about the matinee.

Mr. Fisher is a son of Bert Fisher of Newport and formerly lived in West Brattleboro. Mrs. Fisher is a daughter of Arthur E. Torrey of North Hinsdale and has been studying here to be a professional nurse.

Dean's Rheumatic Pills for Rheumatism and neuralgia. Entirely vegetable. Safe.

GRANGE WAS SURPRISED.

State Master Cady Present on Occasion of 43d Anniversary — Fifty From Other Granges Present.

Protective Grange celebrated its 43d anniversary Wednesday and the meeting was largely attended. Seven past masters were present, and about 50 visiting members from neighboring Granges. The third and fourth degrees were conferred on eight candidates, the third degree work being done by the women's degree team with Mrs. Mary Robbins acting as master, and the fourth degree by the regular officers with Walter M. Robbins as master, Fred H. Spaulding, jr., having gone to Pennsylvania.

After the degree work a chicken-pie supper was served and the lecturer then presented an entertaining program, which included songs by the choir; a paper, in Memory of Our Departed, by Past Master Carl S. Hopkins, at which time the altar was decorated with flowers by the lady assistant steward; remarks by Past Master David T. Perry; original poem, Grange Alphabet, Mrs. Mary Wilson; the secretary read several letters from the older members who were unable to be present; original poem, Our Past Masters, Mrs. P. E. Franklin.

State Master and Mrs. W. N. Cady, their daughter, Miss Eliza Cady and Mr. Cady's sister, Miss Mary Cady, all of Middlebury, Frank Leonard, master of West Dummerston Grange, and Harry T. Brown, master of Evening Star Grange of Danversport and the young state Grange master in the state, were present and made brief remarks. State Master Cady and family came by automobile by invitation especially for the occasion and their coming was a surprise to all except those who invited them.

General Deputy H. W. Sargent presented the Grange a framed duplicate charter, the original having been destroyed in the fire. Mrs. Alma Goodenough and children, E. M. Goodenough of West Brattleboro, Mrs. E. L. Bass of Bethel and Mrs. Adia Niles of this place, presented a framed picture of the old schoolhouse in district No. 7, near the old Goodenough home, in which Protective Grange first met and was organized. The Grange extended a vote of thanks to the donors of each gift.

Protective Grange will visit Newfane Grange next Wednesday evening and present the program. All who wish to go are asked to leave their names at Miller's candy store.

TOLD WHERE BODY WOULD BE.

William Benway Committed Suicide by Drowning After Leaving Note — Signed "Brattleboro Man."

The body of William Benway, 35, was found early Wednesday morning in Mill river, in Northampton, Mass., near the electric light station, by an employee at the station. The man had committed suicide by drowning and had left directions for the finding of his body in the form of a note placed on the railroad trestle near the river. The note read: "You'll find my body in the dam near the grist mill. I am penniless and tired of living. Good-by. A Brattleboro man." The information for finding the body was not needed, however, as the body was found before the note. The man had removed his outer clothing and had jumped into the river in his underclothes. In one of his pockets were found six cards bearing the name of William Benway and showing that he had been a member of the brotherhood of railway clerks at Hartford. Following up this clue, Chief Gilbert found that the man had been wandering about Hartford without work for some time, and that he had an uncle, A. J. Benway of Fairfield, Conn. The chief communicated with the man's uncle.

Chief Wilson of the Brattleboro police was notified, but he could not learn that the man belonged here.

Sergeant Bresnahan, who is on night duty and did not learn of the finding of the body until afternoon, reported that he had talked with a man at the railroad station Tuesday night, who said that his name was Benway and that his wife was employed at the county hospital. It was found to be true that the man's wife was employed there and that they had two children. Benway had been wandering about in the vicinity of the sanatorium Tuesday and had been seen by several of the nursing staff unbalanced. The body of Benway was placed in charge of Undertaker Ahearn.

DELEGATES TO ST. LOUIS.

Only Two Contests in the Democratic State Convention — Wilson Praised in Resolutions.

The Democratic state convention in Burlington, May 25, elected eight delegates to the convention at St. Louis as follows: James E. Kennedy, of Williston, P. H. Pollard, of Cavendish, H. H. Dyer, of Rutland, H. E. Pond, of Berkshire, Elsiea Bigelow, of Lyndonville, O. E. Luce, of Stowe, Harry C. Shurtleff, of Montpelier and J. C. Durick, of Fair Haven. The delegates were empowered to choose their own alternates.

There were contests on the seventh and eighth delegates. The convention had 402 delegates present.

Rev. J. B. Reardon of Barre was elected chairman and Harry W. Witters of St. Johnsbury secretary. Mr. Reardon in his speech lauded Mr. Wilson. He urged Vermont Democrats to form Wilson clubs and blamed the Republicans for unpreparedness.

The resolutions passed were brief. They associated faith with the principles of democracy and rule of the people as against the domination of leaders, bosses, combinations, and interests. Mr. Wilson's "wise, conservative statesmanship" was commended.

A campaign has been started in Philadelphia to train 40,000 citizen soldiers in that city.

In early Italian playing cards, cups took the place of hearts, swords of spades and coins of diamonds.

Charlots worked on the principle of the taximeter were used in China in the fourth century.

CARTER-LAVELLE MARRIAGE.

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Lavelle Becomes Wife of Assistant Manager of Princess Theater.

Arthur Bernard Carter, assistant manager of the Princess theater, and Miss May Elena Lavelle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Lavelle of Putney, were married yesterday morning in the parsonage of St. Michael's Roman Catholic church by Rev. James P. Rand, pastor of the church. Mr. Carter's attendant was Edward J. Lavelle, a brother of the bride, and the bridesmaid was Miss Alice Macdonald of Brattleboro. Only members of the immediate families were present.

The bride wore a gown of pearl gray Georgette crepe with large black hat trimmed with pink roses. She wore a corsage bouquet of lilies-of-the-valley. Miss Macdonald's gown was of Alice blue Georgette crepe, and she wore a large black hat.

After the ceremony a wedding breakfast was served in the home of the bride's parents, at which only near relatives were present. Mr. and Mrs. Carter left by automobile for Greenfield, Mass., going en route by train to Boston. They will go by boat to Newport News, Old Point Comfort and Norfolk, Va., thence to Baltimore, Md., where they will be the guests of relatives and friends of the bridegroom.

After their return they will have rooms with Mrs. Emma Brooks of Crosby terrace, taking their meals at the Melrose hotel until fall, when they plan to begin housekeeping.

Mr. Carter is a son of Mrs. Emma C. Carter of 59 Green street, and the late Rodney F. Carter, who was a pioneer in the granite industry in Vermont. Mr. Carter was associated with his father until 10 years ago, when he entered the theatrical field, coming to Brattleboro four years ago, opening the Princess theater with his mother and two sisters.

Mrs. Carter has always made her home in Brattleboro. She was a member of the Brattleboro high school class of 1904. She has been secretary to Dr. F. R. Newell the last five years. Their many friends extend congratulations and best wishes.

NEW DESIGNS FOR COINS.

Dimes, Quarters and Half Dollars to Be Changed July 1.

Dimes, quarters and half dollars of new design will be minted after July 1. Secretary McAdoo announced at Washington, D. C., that for the first time since 1891 a change will be effected in these pieces. The announcement disclosed that the half dollar has fallen virtually into disuse. The new design was selected with hope of restoring it to more general circulation, it was indicated. Under the new coinage each piece will be designed by a different designer. The half-dollar and dime designs were made by Adolph A. Weinman and the quarter-dollar by Herman A. McNell, both sculptors of note.

The face of the new half-dollar bears a full length of Liberty, with a background of the American flag flying to the breeze. The goddess is striding toward the dawn of a new day, carrying the laurel and oak branches, symbolic of civil and military glory. The reverse side shows an eagle perched high upon a mountain crag, wings unfolded, as if about to alight on the rock is a sapling of mountain pine, symbolic of America. The design of the 25-cent piece is intended to typify the awakening of the country to its own protection. Secretary McAdoo's announcement stated, Liberty, a full length figure, is shown striding toward the country's gateway, bearing a shield from which the covering is being drawn. The right hand bears an olive branch of peace. Above the head is the word "Liberty" and below the feet "1916." The reverse bears a figure of an eagle in full flight, wings extended, and the inscription "United States of America" and "E Pluribus Unum."

Both the half dollar and the quarter bear the phrase "In God we trust." The design of the dime is simple. Liberty with a winged cap is shown on the fore side and on the reverse is a design of an eagle of rods, and a baton, symbolic of truth, "wherein lies the nation's strength."

MRS. COWLES IS PRESIDENT.

California Woman Wins by Large Majority Over Ohio Opponent — Miss Bacon Vice President.

Mrs. Josiah Evans Cowles of Los Angeles, Cal., has been elected president in New York city of the General Federation of Women's clubs by a large majority, defeating Miss Susan Smith of Tibb, Ohio. The vote taken Wednesday, announced yesterday, showed that Mrs. Cowles received 1,273 ballots against 433 for Mrs. Smith. Mrs. Georgia A. Bacon of Worcester, Mass., was elected first vice president.

By a two-thirds majority the federation voted to affiliate with the national council of women, which in turn is a member of the international council of women. Several women were ejected from the meeting because of their protest when they were denied the right to vote on this question.

WIDOW DIGS UP \$14,000.

Acted on Advice of Husband Killed by Railway Train.

Mrs. William H. Wholf of York, Pa., whose husband was killed several weeks ago by a train, found \$14,000 in notes and bank certificates of deposit hidden in the cellar of her home. The money was in a tin box, and Mrs. Wholf found it by carrying out the instructions of her husband. He had told her to dig in a certain corner of the cellar in event of his sudden death.

The Wholfs were in moderate circumstances. Wholf was at one time a prosperous painting contractor. He was hurt several years ago in a fall from a ladder and became deaf. At the time of his death he was distributing funds to the needy poor of the city. Coroner Jones on examining the body found money in nearly every pocket of his clothes.

The average speed of the phonograph record under the needle is 1.82 miles an hour.

WHITTINGHAM.

Death of George Cross.

George Cross, 38, of this place died in Springfield, Mass., May 30. He was a partner of Frank Johnson in a general store here. Mr. Cross went to Springfield for medical treatment last week. He had been suffering with a stomach trouble since last fall and had been under treatment by a physician from Northampton several months for ulcers of the stomach, but as he did not seem to be any better from this treatment he decided to undergo an operation. The operation disclosed that his trouble was a cancer in the stomach and he lived only a few days after the operation.

He leaves a wife and two children and a brother, Frank Cross of Jacksonville, Mass. Mr. Cross and brother, Frank, with their families came to this town about 12 years ago from Cumington, Mass., and bought the Oscar Chase farm, where the two families lived a number of years. Then they sold and moved to the village of Jacksonville. Each has run a stage route. The deceased drove the stage from Whittingham station to Jacksonville a year or more and about three years ago he and Mr. Johnson bought out the mercantile business of Wheeler & Wheeler, which was well known in town as a man of integrity, a kind and loving husband and father as well as a good neighbor and friend. The town loses one of its best citizens and all unite in expressing sympathy for the bereaved ones.

Preparing for Old Home Week.

Whittingham is to have an Old Home week Aug. 14 to 20, inclusive. The committee of 10 appointed by the moderator of the town a few weeks following the March meeting held a meeting at A. A. Butterfield's Memorial day and elected the following officers for the Old Home week association: Pres. W. D. Canady; vice pres., Mrs. J. R. Gillett; sec., W. S. Allen; treas., C. S. Goodnow. Chairmen who will choose their helpers were chosen from this committee for the following: Finance, publications, reception, entertainment, music, sports, accommodations. These committees will be announced in full later.

This town held an Old Home week 10 years ago, which was a great success, and it is hoped the one this year will be equally successful. It is certainly a fitting time for Whittingham to invite home all her sons and daughters and join with Vermont in her general invitation for all Vermonters to return to their native haunts this year, it being the 125th anniversary of Vermont becoming one of the states of the Union.

Schuyler Murdock has bought a Chevrolet automobile and is learning to run it.

Florence Tyler is spending a two-week vacation with her grandparents in North Adams.

E. L. Wheeler is very low. Dr. Stafford of North Adams is attending him and comes every few days.

Rev. G. H. Mahan of Weston will preach in the church here next Sunday at 10 o'clock.

Mrs. Lurissa Brown is working at David Drinkwater's helping care for Mrs. Drinkwater's mother, who is very ill with heart trouble.

Mrs. Jennie Nichols of Bennington and granddaughter, Dorothy Miller, visited her daughter, Zada Nichols, at J. R. Gillett's from Saturday to Tuesday.

Christine Wheeler was home from her duties in the North Adams hospital Memorial day. Her people took her back by automobile Wednesday.

Mrs. Henry Brown of Dalton, Mass., visited at C. S. Goodnow's a few days the first of the week. Her son, Charles, has been at work at Mr. Goodnow's several months.

Pre-Memorial day exercises were held in the various schools Monday afternoon and were well attended by parents and friends, who spoke well of the work of both teachers and pupils.

At the village the two schools united and held their exercises in Green Mountain hall.

There was another quilting at Mrs. L. H. Sawyer's Monday afternoon. An album quilt made by 36 friends of Ruth Goodnow was tied. After the work of both teachers and pupils, it was presented to her as a birthday present, much to her surprise and pleasure. Mrs. Sawyer served cake and cocoa.

VERMONT ACADEMY PROGRAM.

Fortieth Anniversary Observance Opens Saturday, June 10.

The graduation program at Vermont academy, Stoughton River, has been announced, it being the fortieth anniversary of the academy. The program follows:

Saturday, June 10, afternoon, senior promenade; Sunday, June 11, 10:45 morning, baccalaureate sermon, the Rev. W. H. Desjardins; 7:30, evening, vespers in Full hall, the Rev. G. E. Tomkinson; Monday, June 12, 10:30, morning debate for the Barrett prize; 3, afternoon class day exercises; 8, afternoon Fuller prize speaking contest; Tuesday, June 13, 10:30, morning graduation exercises address by the Rev. A. H. Bradford; 12, morning, business meeting of the alumni; 1, afternoon, alumni luncheon; 3:30, afternoon, baseball game; 8, afternoon, senior reception.

CAR BURNED TO CHASIS.

Stanley Steamer of J. A. Wilson of Bridgeport, Conn., Took Fire Three Miles North of Putney.

As J. A. Wilson of Bridgeport, Conn., was driving his Stanley steamer four miles north of Putney, Saturday afternoon, he discovered that the pressure gauge showed too much pressure and took measures to remedy the trouble. The next instant the automobile was in flames and before he and Mrs. Wilson could get out of the automobile Mrs. Wilson had been burned some what on one hand and her clothing had caught fire. Mr. Wilson grabbed a rug and wrapped it about his wife, extinguishing the flames in her clothing and preventing serious injury.

The car was soon enveloped in flames and was burned to the chasis. Mr. and Mrs. Wilson, who were going through this section, came to Brattleboro and registered at the Brooks House, where they remained Sunday.

WILMINGTON.

Gilbert Morris is ill.

Mrs. H. B. Smith is visiting relatives in New York.

Daniel Hale of East Dover was in town Sunday.

Mrs. Herbert Haskell was in North Adams Friday.

Mrs. Bessie Lawton is working for Mrs. S. A. Apraham.

Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Dunn motored to Amherst Sunday.

Forest Waffenden and Clyde Lyman are ill, chicken pox.

Miss Gladys Hicks visited Mrs. L. A. Wheeler over Sunday.

Eloise Dalrymple of Brooklyn, N. Y., is visiting relatives in town.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Inman of Springfield, Mass., were in town recently.

Mrs. A. H. Wright has gone to Waterville, N. Y., for a month's visit.

Mrs. A. C. Jones of West Halifax is visiting her sister, Mrs. H. D. Allen.

Dr. and Mrs. L. D. Ritchie of Brattleboro were in town on business Monday.

W. A. Bayette spent a few days at his home in Northampton, Mass., last week.

Mrs. Lula Fowler and Miss Gladys Bassett were in North Adams over Sunday.

Robert Burnett of Holyoke, Mass., was the guest of Howard Smith Memorial day.

B. B. Fitch of North Adams, Mass., called on his father, Erastus Fitch, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mahan White of Windsor Locks, Ct., called on friends in town Sunday.

W. A. Choate of Albany, N. Y., was a business visitor in town Wednesday and Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Corbett and two children of Brattleboro were in town Memorial day.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Buffum and two sons of Northfield, Mass., called on relatives Sunday.

Miss Violet Ames was surprised by 18 friends Friday evening in honor of her 18th birthday.

Mrs. Lewis Simpkins and son left Friday for New York where they will join Mr. Simpkins.

Miss Ethel Millington of Brattleboro attended the High School Alumni meeting Saturday evening.

Mrs. Clark Chandler, who has been very ill, underwent a slight operation and is slowly improving.

Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Davis and daughter, Everell, of West Brattleboro were in town over Sunday.

The minstrel show, to be given under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A. auxiliary, will take place June 6.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Vogel and two daughters and Mrs. Walter Grimes motored to Brattleboro Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Manter of Winchester, Mass., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Brown recently.

Miss Grace Smith of West Brattleboro visited her sister, Mrs. Walter Howe, from Saturday until Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lincoln of New York came the first of the week and opened their summer home.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin A. Brown of Winchester, Mass., are spending a few days at their home here.

Mrs. Harry Hotchkiss suffered a shock Wednesday and is under the care of Dr. T. F. Crowley and a trained nurse.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Maher of Readsboro spent a few days at Mrs. Maher's sister, Mrs. John Fowler, over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sharon Davis have moved into the tenement recently finished off in back of the F. J. Davis harness shop.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Osborne of North Adams, Mass., visited Mrs. Osborne's sister, Mrs. F. Winthrop Crozier, over Sunday.

Mrs. Ralph Smith and two children of Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Johnson motored to Benton, N. H., Sunday and visited their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. John McCann.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Duke King of Rupert, Vt., and Mr. and Mrs. Martin Plimpton of South Wardsboro called at D. O. Butterfield's Friday.

W. A. Brown, Greeley A. Brown and A. O. Buckley attended the Democratic convention in Burlington Wednesday and Thursday of last week.

Miss Bertha Fairbank, Miss Mabel Stetson and Miss Emily Bissell of Jackson, Tenn., attended the High School Alumni meeting Saturday evening.

Harry R. Durant, managing editor of the Famous-Players Film company of New York, was a guest of C. B. Kelland from Saturday until Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Williams and son, Edward, of Middle Granville, N. Y., visited Mrs. Williams' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Gilbert, Memorial day.

Dr. and Mrs. L. T. Page returned Wednesday from a three weeks' trip to Maine. Mrs. Page's sister, Miss Hathaway, returned from Boston with them.

J. H. Buckley was taken to the Memorial hospital in Brattleboro Monday evening where he underwent a slight operation. Mrs. Buckley went to see him Wednesday.

George Kingsley and Miss Josephine Farr of West Brattleboro were married at the home of the bridegroom's aunt, Mrs. Nathan A. Greene, Saturday, May 27. Rev. F. M. Bissell performed the ceremony.

Miss Olive Smythe was the lucky person to locate the winner of the Booster club button and won an Elgin watch, which was given away by the Booster club at H. F. Barber & Sons' store Saturday evening.

The Arrival of Kitty, a comedy, was presented by the high school seniors to a large audience in Memorial hall Tuesday evening. It is reported by the majority to be one of the best amateur performances given in Wilmington in several years.

The Tom Thumb wedding, given under the direction of Miss Vera Laupus of Brattleboro, proved very entertaining. The bride was the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sheridan Smith, and the bridegroom was the younger son of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Corkins.

One of a pair of horses owned by C. W. Terrill was so badly injured Monday that Dr. L. D. Ritchie found it necessary to kill the animal. The horses became frightened and bolted when the pole broke. The horses were thrown and one of them badly injured.

Among those attending the circus at Pittsfield, Mass., Saturday were Floyd Davis, M. P. Gorham, Misses Ruth and

Katherine McQuatt, Miss Mary Brown, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Kelland, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Smith, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Bralston, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ring and J. D. Bristow.

GUILFORD.

Miss Gertrude Bangs of Springfield, Mass., is a guest at Joel Flagg's.

Mrs. Cleson Stratton's father, Mr. S. A. Apraham, is visiting her.

Mrs. Augusta Sanders of Jamaica is visiting her sister, Mrs. Jesse Weatherhead.

Mrs. A. J. Belden went to Greenfield, Mass., last week for a week's visit with her sister, Mrs. S. T. Davenport.

F. Coombs and Mr. and Mrs. Fred H. Coombs and Mrs. Sanford A. Smith went on an automobile trip to Colrain Sunday.

Miss Annie Mellen went this week Thursday to Chatham, Mass., where she has a position in the Chatham Inn for the coming season.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Sharron and children went on an automobile trip to Otter River, Mass., Saturday, staying over Sunday with relatives.

Mrs. Alonzo Crozier spent last week with her parents in Wilmington, returning home Thursday, accompanied by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harley Upton, and sister, Miss May Upton, who returned home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred C. Gale of New York city were guests of their relatives at the Gale farm Sunday, returning to New York Monday. They came for the burial of their son, Bryan, from the Morningside tomb in Brattleboro to a granite vault in the Roman Catholic cemetery.

Automobile parties at Frank Jacobs' Monday were Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Estes and brother, Ralph Estes, of Somerville, Mass.,